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# MICHIGAN BOARD OF MARRIAGE FAMILY THERAPY RULES COMMITTEE WORK GROUP MEETING MINUTES NOVEMBER 9, 2022

The Michigan Board of Marriage Family Therapy Rules Committee Work Group, met on November 9, 2022. The meeting was held via Zoom.

### **CALL TO ORDER**

Weston MacIntosh, JD, Departmental Specialist, Boards and Committees Section, called the meeting to order at 8:00 a.m.

#### **ATTENDANCE**

Members Present: Amy Campbell, LMFT

Illami Romero Martinez-King, LMFT

Emily Short, LMFT

Members Absent: None

Staff Present: Weston MacIntosh, JD, Departmental Specialist, Boards, and

Committees Section

Rebecca Flores, Analyst, Licensing Division Christina Koehler, Analyst, Licensing Division

LeAnn Payne, Board Support, Boards and Committees Section

Kaye Thelen, Analyst, Licensing Division

Public Present: None

#### WELCOME

MacIntosh welcomed everyone to the meeting and explained the process of the rules committee work group meeting. MacIntosh explained that he added references to the statutory and rule requirements in the licensing sections.

# R 338.7201 Definitions

MacIntosh had no recommended changes.

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# R 338.7202 Training standards for identifying victims of human trafficking; requirements.

MacIntosh explained he updated the human trafficking language to include clarifying language.

The committee agreed with language.

#### R 338.7203 Limited License

MacIntosh explained he organized and rearranged the rule to follow the requirements in the statute.

Short asked if the rule sets up who can supervise.

MacIntosh stated that MCL 333.16909 already names eligible supervisors.

The committee agreed with the change to the rule.

#### R 338.7204 Telehealth

No changes were made.

The committee agreed.

# R 338.7205 Licensing requirements

MacIntosh explained that he reorganized the rule and added clarifying language.

The committee agreed with the changes.

# R 338.7207 Examinations; eligibility.

MacIntosh updated the citations in the rule.

The committee agreed.

# R 338.7209 Examinations adoption.

No changes were made.

The committee agreed.

# R 338.7211 Adoption of standards by reference.

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MacIntosh stated he made he made updates to the required educational standards.

The committee agreed.

# R. 338.7213 Licensure by endorsement.

MacIntosh stated that substantive updates were made the last time the rules were open, and only added some clarifying language.

The committee agreed.

## R 338.7215 Relicensure

MacIntosh stated he clarified the proof requirements for those licenses expired more than three years, including proof of licensure in another jurisdiction or proof of passing the examination during the 3-year period immediately preceding the date of the application for relicensure.

The committee agreed.

# R 338.7219 License renewal; requirements

MacIntosh informed the committee that the department is considering the possibility of extending the license cycle from two years to three or four years. He wanted to let them know.

Short asked if an ethics course could be a requirement.

MacIntosh stated continuing education is not required by statute for their profession.

# **ADJOURNMENT**

MacIntosh adjourned the meeting at 9:32 a.m.

Prepared by: LeAnn Payne, Board Support Bureau of Professional Licensing

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